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Contract Let For Boyes Hotel

$75,000 Sonoma Valley Property Sold To Knights of Pythias

Montana Officer Arrives To Take Movie Producer Back

HOOD RANCH TO BE HOME FOR AGED MEMBERS

Sonoma Valley Wins In Contest for Fraternal Institution to be Erected on Los Guilicos Rancho.

The old Hood Ranch, originally the Los Guilicos Rancho, has been sold to the Knights of Pythias Order. for a home for the aged, the purchase price having been $75,000 for a portion of the vast acreage recently owned by Ware & Proctor of Santa Rosa.

Through the efforts of Dr. Jackson, a Sonoma county man, chancellor of the Grand Lodge, the selection of Sonoma Valley was decided upon, although many localities had offered attractive sites. After viewing them all the selection committee and officers were of the opinion that the Los Guilicos Rancho exceeded all others in climate, scenery, improvements and general equipment for a real home.

The acreage sold to the Order fronts the Sonoma-Santa Rosa highway and is improved with fine buildings, orchards, gardens and has extensive farming land. The buildings will be enlarged and new units built. The ranch was highly developed during the ownership of the late United States Senator Kearns, of Utah, who lived there for some years, and later by Captain Peter Serck, the wealthy Englishman who acquired it.

William Hood, the original owner of the historic property now dedicated for the worthy purpose intended by the Knights of Pythias, had an interesting history. He landed in Monterey eight days after the American flag had been raised there, having come from Pennsylvania on the bark "Hover Gipasquanna." In May, 1846, he came to San Francisco and joined Samuel Brannan and other noted pioneers of that city who were encamped between Jackson and Clay streets. He was a boat builder and in 1849 when gold was discovered had to pay his men fabulous wages to keep them from going to the mines. In the fall of 1849 Hood bought the Los Guilicos Rancho with William Pettit as a partner. Some years later, full of adventure, he started for British Columbia and the Northwest and after thrilling episodes with Indian depradators in various sections of the country, was glad to return to his beautiful home in the Sonoma Valley. He cultivated extensive vineyards, 160 acres or more and at one time had a cellar of 200,000 gallons of wine. The rancho was always noted for its hospitality. Its location in the shadows of Mt. Hood gave it almost tropical attributes.

MRS. STEIGER STILL IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. E. Steiger, popular Schellville matron, who met with an accident Christmas day, in which her leg was broken at the ankle, is still confined to her mother's home in San Francisco with her limb in a cast. Her daughter, Miss Evelyn, is with Berkeley relatives.

Many Sonoma friends hope Mrs. Steiger will be enabled to return home soon as she is greatly missed.

Installs X-ray Equipment

Dr. A. M. Thomson of Sonoma has completed the installation of a finely equipped X-ray laboratory of the most approved type and as a result of the splendid equipment which includes a Buckey diaphragm, he will be compelled to enlarge his present offices.

The X-ray outfit represents the expenditure of several thousand dollars and gives Sonoma Valley access to a laboratory which does work hitherto sent by the physician to San Francisco. Dr. Thomson will now be enabled to do the most exacting work in his own laboratory and to give detailed plates of internal trouble. He has his own dark room for developing and has already successfully X-rayed infected teeth and various organic irregularities. The Buckey diaphragm is essential and supplemental to the X-ray, enabling more detailed pictures in involved and complex cases.

Dr. Thomson plans to get a lady nurse skilled in laboratory experience to assist him in the X-ray work.

FURTHERS ACTIVITIES AT FETTERS SPRINGS

Sonoma Valley Improvement Club Announces P. T. A. to be Formed; Fire Protection Afforded.

A proposition is being taken up by the Sonoma Valley Improvement Club to inaugurate a Parent Teachers' Association which will embrace the Flowery School District, and is recommending other clubs and societies in the district to co-operate. The importance of this movement can hardly be estimated, so far-reaching would be its influence. It is hoped that some thing tangible will result and that the entire district will get together on the matter and put their shoulder to the wheel.

It is a pleasure to note that the contractors for the Beltane-Schellville highway have commenced work.

To combat the recurrence of disastrous fires, George Fetters proposes to utilize his swimming tank as a reservoir, installing an up to date pumping plant with piping and hydrants which he will extend to the main highway and to the theatre. Thus with a few hundred feet of hose the entire business section would be fully protected. It is just such live wires as Mr. Fetters that is wanted in communities. Such a utility would be a monument to him and a boon to his neighbors. —Club Reporter.

MRS. FRED HANSEN HEADS THE WHITE SHELL CLUB

Mrs. Fred Hansen, wife of the prominent hatchery man, is the newly elected president of the White Shell Club which met recently at the home of Mrs. V. Giorno.

The other officers of this social organization are Mrs. Charles LaTorres, vice president; Mrs. W. W. Hall, secretary, Mrs. Tom Baines, treasurer.

The ladies wil be entertained shortly by their new president.

Joseph Faggiano, of San Rafael To Rebuild Famous Resort At Boyes Springs

The contract for the new hotel to be erected by the Boyes Springs Hotel Company has been let to Joseph Faggiano, prominent contractor of San Rafael, Marin county. Mr. Faggiano was here Wednesday and went over the ground with R. Lichtenberg, Thomas Green and others of the hotel management. Stakes have been set and the building laid out by the builder, the ground having been cleared last week for the initial work on Sonoma Valley's new $85,000 resort which will replace the hotel destroyed by fire last September.

The new Boyes Springs Hotel will contain 75 rooms, eight suites and single rooms, all with either bath or shower attached.

A spacious lobby, wide halls, dining room looking out onto a patio in true Spanish California style will be features. The exterior of the hotel will be of this type of architecture also, with stucco finish and tile roof.

The new hotel will be artistically furnished throughout and will in every way be modeled along the lines of the finest inns of Southern California and enabled to cater to the most exacting trade.

The grounds are to be laid out in lawns, shrubs, and flowers and will make an attractive setting for the Mission style building which Mr. Faggiano is to rush through to completion for this summer's guests. A number of sub-contracts for plumbing, electrical work and painting are to be let shortly. A number of Sonoma contractors have bids in.

Mr. Faggiano is a brother-in-law of Tommy Green, who is well known to patrons of the hotel, where he has presided at the desk for several seasons past.

WEDDING BELLS ARE TO RING OUT

Friends of Mrs. Josie Decanini and Emelio Pinelli are congratulating the popular couple on their approaching nuptials which will be solemnized next month.

Mrs. Decanini is the widow of a Sonoma hotel man and daughter of E. Proletti, local capitalist.

Mr. Pinelli, the prospective groom, is a well to do bachelor of Sonoma Valley and is the eldest son of the late A. Pinelli.

INTERESTING AFTERNOON AT THE WOMAN'S CLUB

The paper on "Peace" by Mrs. Duhring at the Woman's Club Friday of last week was highly praised by all who heard the logical and splendid plea for the ending of war.

Musical numbers by Mrs. Emily Poppe Grinstead enabled admirers of the talented vocalist to again enjoy some beautiful song numbers. Among those showing her gift as an accompanist and singer was "Rain" by Curran and "Homing" by Del Riego.

Not Looking For Horse, But Looking For "Jackass"

Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan, Constable John Mohr and another officer of the law made an unceremonious call at a ranch on the Napa road Saturday where a horse had been advertised for sale. The owner of the ranch, seeing three men at his door, thought they had come to look at the horse which had been advertised that morning in the Index-Tribune. His wife thought likewise, so the trio were taken out to the barn and the rancher began to "talk horse." The officers concluded the farmer was stalling, but when he showed them the animal and they were convinced he had really taken them for purchasers of the horse, they enlightened him with the object of their visit. They were looking for "jackass," and a still, not a horse.

The home owner stood aghast when he realized his ranch was the object of a raid and informed the officers that they were on the wrong trail. The deputy sheriff offered to take his word for it, but the property owner invited them to search the premises as long as they were there, although no search warrant was exhibited nor was there any record in the Sonoma justice court, according to the wife of the rancher, who sought information on the raid the following day.

The officers searched the place diligently and at last were rewarded by the sight of two big barrels in the tank house which they eagerly pounced on. The kegs proved to be two barrels of pickled pork so the detectives departed with the remark that some raids are really "on the hog."

These kinds of raids have been pulled off here before. This is not the first time that the Index-Tribune has reported raids in Sonoma Valley on private property without any justification and the matter in one instance was brought to the attention of the Grand Jury with the result that a recommendation was made in no uncertain terms as to the legal procedure incident to the search of private property for liquor evidence.

The pork barrel "find" is just one incident of the wild goose chases our local officers are up against as a result of taking tips from amateur sleuths now particularly active in some localities. That hard working, peace loving, law abiding citizens should be subjected to such treatment, their motives impugned, their means of livelihood questioned, their reputation thus injured, their credit impaired is just one reason why prohibition can never justify itself and will fail in the United States as it has failed in Scotland and more recently in Canada where dry laws have given place to sane legislation and intelligent regulation which is succeeding.

Work Starts On Highway

The firm of Galbraith & Janes which was awarded the contract to build the new state highway between Schellville and Beltane has brought a crew of 50 men into the valley and established a construction camp at the foot of Broadway. Tents and cook house have been erected, feed racks and barns for the stock, and other preliminaries to the big piece of construction work completed.

Road Engineer Sams is in charge of the construction crew for the contractors. Galbraith & Janes plan to use the Embarcadero waterway to transport material and feed. Gravel barges will ply between Schellville and the bay points.

The Highway Commission and its chairman, Harvey M. Toy, are to be congratulated on the quick action of their contractors on this job. It is certainly appreciated by the people of Sonoma Valley.

The highway crew were taking out big trees yesterday preliminary to widening out the curve near the Hall ranch.

MUCH INTEREST SHOWN IN SONOMA INCUBATORS

New Company Being Organized Has Substantial Financial Backing; Many Orders Received.

The new incubator company which will manufacture the Kitchen incubator and its many patented features on a large scale in Sonoma Valley just as soon as re-organization and expansion preliminaries are completed, is enthusiastic at the reception accorded the announcement of their plans. Already over $10,000 in cash has been subscribed with ample capital in sight to assure the building of the big factory here. Pending a permit to do business in the name of the corporation, arrangements have been made to carry on the work of making the incubator trays and turning device at the plant on Patton street. To expedite the output a 43 inch metal shearing machine to turn out rollers for the trays has been purchased. Hitherto this material has been turned out by hand.

Orders and inquiries are piling up from all over the United States and Canada from well known poultry centers L. C. Byce & Son, the pioneer Petaluma incubator people, father of the industry in our neighboring city, were here Wednesday trying to arrange for the installation of the patented turning device for their machines.

The patents acquired by the new corporation are conceded to be a wonderful addition to the poultry world and will practically revolutionize baby chick production. As high as 93 per cent fertility has been reported by users of these incubators. Ford, the local hatchery man, brought off one of the first hatches of January Thursday and got an 81 per cent hatch despite the fact that the eggs are of the first mating of the season. The chicks were hatched in 20 1-2 days and are strong and vigorous. The circulation

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H. J. BINNEY IS RESISTING EXTRADITION

Matter of His Facing Charges of Fraud In Butte Is Up to Governor Richardson.

Undersheriff Dayton Robinson arrived from Butte, Mont., last Saturday to take H. J. Binney, moving picture man, back to that city where he is accused of fraud in connection with a film company he organized there. Binney has been out on bail furnished by Sonoma members of the corporation recently oganized here to film his comedies.

The moving picture producer and his backers have retained the serviceof Atorney Joe Berry of Santa Rosa to fight the extradition proceedings. They took the matter up at Sacramento with Attorney General Webb who arranged a hearing before Governor Richardson.

Binney's attorney took advantage of what he claims to be a technical error in the complaint in that the complaint specifies August 15th, 1923, as the date of Binney's operations in Butte, whereas Binney declares he was in San Francisco on that date, having left Montana August 2, 1923. He came to Sonoma November 17, 1923.

Messrs. Binney and Morris Levy motored to Sacramento Wednesday for the hearing on the extradition, which, however, was postponed until Friday, January 25th.

During their absence in the big Peerless limousine which Binney recently turned over to the corporation as security for money advanced him, agent for the car arrived from San Francisco to ascertain the status of it and whether the corporation would assume the balance of more than $2500 due on it. The car cost over $4000 and aside from an old car which Binney turned in when he bought it, little has been paid on the Peerless.

Since the comedian and his company were cut off from the hospitality of Fetters Springs following the complications in which Binney became entangled, they have been entertained at the home of friends pending the settlement of the Montana charges.

Several members of the corporation reiterate their faith in Binney and would continue to sell stock in the company and proceed with the making of pictures under his direction.

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NEW DIRECTOR FOR SONOMA PARK BAND

Lyle Campbell of the Music Department of the Sonoma High School is the new director and leader of the Sonoma Park Band. He has taken the place of Professor Meinhardt who had been directing it.

The Sonoma Park Band made splendid progress and continues to meet regularly for practice every Wednesday at the Grammar School auditorium. All musicians in the valley are urged to join.

Mr. Campbell is a capable leader, a graduate in music of the College of the Pacific.

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EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

Henry Koerner, proprietor of Oak Grove Resort, went to San Francisco Saturday evening, where he attended the great Wampus ball, and cake-walked with the famous movie beauties Our Sonoma Valley representative made a hit and reports a most wonderful time. Henry tells the writer that the big auditorium resembled a scene of the heavens above, opening up and letting the angels drop down to San Francisco. The beauty and youth of the world were there and San Francisco, who knows how, gave the visitors a great reception, so great that they will return next year for their annual ball and so will Mr. Koerner, as he says the sweet women were most beautiful to behold.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Manry were in San Francisco Sunday spending the day with their daughter, Mrs. Craib.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Court of San Francisco are spending the week at their Sonoma Vista home.

Ms. M. Watts and Bert Trainer returned from San Francisco after a week end visit with relatives.

Work on the new Boyes Springs hotel started Wednesday. The new hotel will be built in Mission style and when completed will be one of the finest in the state. Work will be rushed so as to accommodate visitors durin gthe coming season.

Station Agent Daken, veteran N. W. P. employee at Schellville, has been granted a pension for long, faithful service to this company. Grover Rubke of Vineburg will be Mr. Dakin's successor.

Fred Brash was a business and pleasure visitor in San Francisco the fore part of the week.

Mrs. J. Dutil is here from San Francisco to spend a month at her El Verano home. A number of San Francisco relatives were her guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dowdall, Mr and Mrs. Fish and family of Alameda, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Miller and daughter, Miss Annie Terry and other relatives were attending the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Terry at Sonoma Sunday. Miss Lizzie Terry, a daughter, recently suffered a stroke in San Francisco which has left her speechless and in a critical condition. The Terrys were formerly residents of Sonoma. Miss Terry's Sonoma Valley acquaintances hope for her speedy recovery.

S. Prout, Eldridge merchant, was an El Verano business visitor Saturday.

Miss Mabel Nonella was a guest from San Francisco at the Nonella home over the week end.

Cards have been received announcing the engagement of Miss Amy Winifred to John Emery Clements. The wedding will be held on Sunday, January 27th, at St. Mary's church. John Clements with his brother resided in El Verano for many years, while the charming bride has made visits to Sonoma Valley. Many Sonoma friends will attend the wedding and congratulations are sent out from El Verano to the young leap year couple.

Mrs. Paul Vanucchi of Verano, who has been traveling in Germany, visiting relatives and her old mother, is on her way back to America.

C. C. Hall of Oregon is a guest at the home of his brother in the western addition.

Mrs. H. L. Swain of Mexico City is visiting at the Swensson home and will spend some time in sunny California. Mrs. Swain is an aunt of Mrs. Swensson and is enjoying her Sonoma Valley visit.

Henry Norrbom and T. H. Baines were called to Santa Rosa Monday for jury duty. Mr. Baines was excused.

Henry Locarnini and H. Ammann were initiated into the Vallejo Eagles last Saturday night. The boys are strong pullers for their new order and are a credit to the lodge. Both boys are employed at the navy yard.

The Sonoma State Home at Eldridge which has a present enrollment of 1600, has gained 80 inmates during the year. This institution also has on parole 425 men and women. The new buildings are in construction at the home and other improvements are being made.

G. Locarnini, Star car agent, set this town in a buzz of excitement last Monday when he drove one of the new 1924 models through our streets. This car is a fine looking road hound and our live agent, was making delivery to S. Rosenthal, resort owner at Verano. Several of our townsmen looked the car over, with a view of buying.

The official S. P. car, carrying on board Supt. Rollands and other high officials of the company, made its monthly inspection trip over the Santa Rosa branch last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fredrickson, Miss M. Fredrickson, Miss Edith A. Crane and Frank Dumphy were spending several days at their Sonoma summer home at El Verano. The Fredrickson family will vacation here this summer.

Jake Steckmeyer was a city of Oakland visitor last week, returning Saturday accompanied by Mrs. Steckmeyer and daughter, who have been enjoying a month's visit with relatives in bay cities.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph crew were busy unloading several carloads of poles to be used in Sonoma Valley, at the S. P. yards recently. These poles will be placed along the new state highway.

Mrs. George Walker of Santa Rosa has been visiting at the Dowdall home.

Fight fans in these parts are pleased to hear that Tex Rickard, world famous promoter, has matched Jack Dempsey and Tom Gibbons for a return match Gibbons, one of the best boxers in the world, stood the powerful Dempsey off for 15 rounds at Selby in their last tilt. This will make the bout a great drawing card. The fight will be pulled off in New York City during the Democratic convention, giving the politicians a chance to witness a championship go. Opinions are that Jack will take Tommie early in the match and that the bout will not go over six rounds. Gibbons claims he will relieve the powerful champion of his honors in the coming battle, but when Firpo, the wild bull, could not put over the old knockout, a light man like Gibbons hasn't much chance.

Mrs. Kate Murray of Santa Rosa was a week end visitor at the Dowdall home.

Lou Kearney, Dave Forni, Al Rossi and John Larson motored over to Pt. Reyes Monday, where they succeeded in getting a large number of crabs. They remembered their friends and all enjoyed the shell-fish.

Tony Cereghino, well known and popular butcher in the employ of the Maffei Brothers' market, Sonoma, was a welcome visitor in our city on Tuesday.

Mrs. Johanna Jones, who has made many visits to the Baines home and has many friends in Sonoma Valley, met with an auto accident at Oakland recently, when a car which was backing up ran into her and throwing her down, broke her thigh and arm. Mrs. T. H. Baines visited her at the Merritt Hospital last week and found her improving. Grandma Jones is 79 years old and inquired about her many Sonoma Valley friends and said she would like a card or a letter from them during her stay in the hospital.

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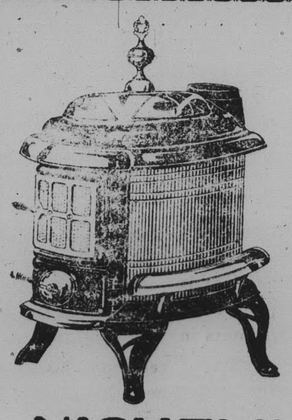

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The first school paper, the Weekly News, was issued last Monday by the journalism class. It was edited by Roy Wirtz and Anna Noyes and printed by students of the advanced typing class. Only one copy was printed and it hung in state on the bulletin board in the hall. Next week the paper will be edited by Kenneth Parker and Elizabeth Lewis.

A student body meeting was held Wednesday afternoon in the auditorium. The regular business was gone through in a short time and the meeting adjourned.

An interesting game of basket ball was played Wednesday noon when the girls of the first period physical education played against the seventh period team. The first period team won with a score of 16 to 6. Next Wednesday at noon the winners of this game play the sixth period team, winners of the game played several months ago.

Thursday evening the Thrift program was held at the high school. Speeches were made on every phase of thrift by the students, and art posters designed and made by members of the art class were on exhibit. Several prizes were awarded by the P. T. A. to the students who made speeches and posters.

The Sonoma Junior Farm Bureau won a double header in basket ball from the Analy Junior FarmBureau on the local court last Monday afternoon. The score board read as follows: Sonoma 130 pound, 24, Analy 130 pound, 12. Sonoma unlimited 32, Analy unlimited 16.

On Wednesday, January 30th, Edgar S. Kindley, a speaker of national reputation, will deliver an address in the high school auditorium. Kindley is a keen humorist, as well as an able thinker. Everywhere people who have heard him have gone away feeling richer, wiser and happier. If you want to enjoy a real treat, come and hear Mr. Kindley.

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THIS FAILURE APPARENT EVERYWHERE

It must seem to those who read the editorial in last week's Index-Tribune on the failure of prohibition after four years in the United States, that we had taken the words out of the mouth of General Isaac Sherwood, of Ohio, or that he had tuned in on our line of thought, for Saturday he addressed Congress on prohibition, and his speech was one of the strongest arraignments against the national fiasco ever heard in Washington. The concurrent opinions are simply the result of close observation in the East and in the West, for results of the dry law are identical throughout the United States.

Said the Ohio observer last Saturday:

"Prohibition has failed to show one moral or economic benefit to society, to business or to the federal treasury."

General Sherwood, in his 89th year, has been a teetotaler 76 years. He is the only veteran of the Union armies in the Civil War now in the House.

After four years of prohibition, says Sherwood, not one promise of the alluring program of the Anti-Saloon League for reforming the nation has been kept.

"Crime has increased 40 per cent, divorces in 50 cities have inicreased 35 per cent and murders have increased 40 per cent. And worse than all the calamities in the federal record of the dope fiends now number nearly one million."

Sherwood took a fling at the dry champion in the House, Representative Upshaw, of Georgia, and dubbed former Representative Volstead, of Minnesota, author of the dry law, a "humbug." Upshaw, in two hours' of "sky rocket oratory" utterly ignored the record in pointing out the "glories" of prohibition, he said.

"One of the more baneful influences of prohibition," Sherwood said, "was the largest increase in booze drinking among young men and young girls."

"Young men who never indulged in liquor before are now carrying flasks in hip pockets, loaded with moonshine or bootleg whisky, and young girls are induced to drink the vile stuff in dance halls and automobiles parked along lonesome roads."

Referring to the financial side of prohibition, Sherwood estimated the American people last year spent $500,000,000 for imported Scotch whiskey alone. He estimated that at least $22,536,936 was spent last year for the 11,268,614 liquor prescriptions issued by doctors.

Sherwood said the government was losing $600,000,000 a year in revenue and could pay the national debt in 10 years by a stiff tax on light wines and beers.

While the people clamor for tax reductions, he said, the administration asks for $20,000,000 to build a "dry navy."

Sherwood declared that shutting out "the best quality of imported liquor gives the bootleggers a larger demand for home made 'undertakers' delight.'"

Exhibiting a patented whisky flask for which Sherwood said there was an increased demand, he added that it would never be fille,d while he owned it, because he took a temperance pledge 76 years ago.

YES, "WHY THE EIGHTEENTH AMENDMENT

A pioneer publication, "Our Dumb Animals," which has hitherto raised its voice and done much good for God's dumb creatures, now finds itself moved to speak in behalf of human beings who are submitting to the hollow cant of prohibitioniists and their harping on the Eighteenth Amendment, as it relates to the sanctity of the Constitution.

"Our Dumb Animals," founded in 1868 in Massachusetts, has for its creed: "Glory to God, peace on earth, kindness, justice and mercy to every living creature," hence the following in its issue of January, 1924:

"Why the Eighteenth Amendment?

"Do not misunderstand us. We are not against its enforcement. The Eighteenth Amendment is a part of the constitution of the United States. So long as this is true, all law abidiing citizens should recognize their duty to conform to its requirements and to sustain the authorities that are established for its enforcement. To disregard law, to say, 'Because I do not approve of a law I am not under obligation to observe it,' is un-American, and subversive of that respect for law without which no government can long endure. But why so insistent and persistent the demand that this amendment be enforced while wholly indifferent to other amendments no less a part of the constitution and to the enforcement of which those in power have solemnly given their oath?

"In the Fourteenth Amendment it is declared, 'Representatives shall be apportioned among the several states according to their respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each state, excluding Indians not taxed. But when the right to vote at any election for the choice of electors for president and viice president of the United States, Representatives to Congress, etc., is denied to any of the male members of such State, being of 21 years of age and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in rebellion or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens 21 years of age in such state.' If the Federal Government pays any attention to the enforcement of this amendment we should be glad to hear of it.

"In the Fifteenth Amendment it is affirmed that "the right of the citizens of the United States to vote should not be denied or abridged by the United States, or by any State on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude,' and 'Congress shall have power to enforce the provisions of this article by appropriate legislation." Imagine the reception he would receive in Congress who asked that either of these two amendments be enforced, or that eight or eighteen or twenty-eight million dollars be appropriated for that purpose!"

"Earth is sick
And Heaven weary of the hollow words
Which states and kingdoms utter when they talk
Of truth and justice."

ANOTHER RURAL CARRIER NEEDED

At a recent meeting of the Sonoma Farm Center it was decided that in view of the growing population of the rural sections that we are in need of another rural mail carrier.

The farmer is all-essential in California as elsewhere and we feel sure that Uncle Sam wants to serve him.

Sonoma Valley has been growing for some time past and many tracts have been subdivided with consequent accumulation of patrons of the mail route and an array of mail boxes to the south, east, west and north of Sonoma. One carrier cannot give the desired service and with the coming new State highway the situation will grow worse, for our population will continue to grow faster than formerly.

The Index-Tribune would like to expedite its own service to subscribers and in common with other patrons of the route hope that Congressman Bea will co-operate with the Farm Center to give Sonoma Valley a second mail carrier.

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To the admirable sturdiness and all-year protection of this Sedan, Dodge Brothers have added refinements which further enhance its value and desirability.

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J. H. MURRAY
Sonoma Representative

MONTANA OFFICER COMES FOR BINNEY

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LATEST

A second warrant from Butte, Montana, sworn to by another alleged victim of Binney's film activities, arrived yesterday from Montana. The complaining witness is named Stone and the complaint corrects the technical errors in the warrant sworn to by E. J. Johnson. Upon receipt of the latest warrant Binney was again arrested, but permitted to go to Sacramento on the extradition hearing, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Ryan.

At the hearing yesterday afternoon in Sacramento on the first charge, extradition was denied owing to the faulty complaint. Binney will now face the second charge.

MR. AND MRS. MUNK PLAN TRIP TO EAST

Mr. and Mrs. H. Munk of Glen Ellen plan a trip East in the near future when they will leave for a visit with relatives and friends in Oklahoma, Missouri, Kansas and their native state of Illinois. During their absence, their place will be looked after by P. Fabri, who has rented the ranch, the Munks retaining their bungalow. Upon their return from the Eastern trip they will make their home in Fresno, near Mr. Munk's business activities. He is the general foreman of the San Joaquin Light and Power Company.

The couple expect to return now and then to the Valley of the Moon, whose climate and beauty commend it above all other localities.

Mrs. Munk has resided at the ranch for the past two years, but found it quite lonesome as her husband was in the Sierras with the power company most of the summer. She made a number of good friends here who will wish them a pleasant trip.

MR. AND MRS. DUTIL'S WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Al Dutil celebrated their wedding anniversary last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Dutil's mother, a pioneer resident of El Verano. A splendid French dinner was prepared in honor of the happy event and many relatives and old friends showered the popular couple and their pretty children with congratulations. It being a 'tin wedding, many gifts of the popular and useful aluminum were received.

The following enjoyed the hospitalitw of the Dutil home and congratulated the prominent Sonoma business man and his good wife:

Mr. and Mrs. E. Pierson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lalaeene and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Dutil, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dutil and sons, Mr. and Mrs. A. Glaive and son, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Nusbaum and daughter, Mrs. A. Albrecht, Mrs. Anna Dutil, William Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Verbeck, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dutil and Alberta, Bobbie and Marjorie Dutil.

FIFTEEN NEW MEMBERS JOIN LOCAL Y. L. I.

The following were initiated into the Young Ladies' Institute Thursday night at a brilliant evening in the history of the Lodge. Emily Kearney, Helen Greer, Delphine Werner, Emma Papina, Mary Pensar, Loretta Canevari, Catherine Sloan, Annie Walsh, Mary Brown, Teresa Undesser, Ellen Allard, Bertha Rehaag, Effie Preston, Lulu V. Emparan and Louise Catino.

Grand Officers Malloy and Shean initiated the members, after which there was a banquet to which the Y. M. I. were also welcomed.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron of Sunnyvale have been visiting the Wm. D Rambos.

Pupils of Miss Dresel To Give Piano Recital

The following proggram will be given by the piano pupils of Miss Eva Dresel at the Sonoma Grammar School auditorium next Friday evening. Everybody interested in music will be cordially welcomed.

The numbers are varied and will give the public an opportunity to hear both beginners and more advanced pupils. The Faelton method will be demonstrated and a very enjoyable evening may be expected.

Duett ---------- Faelton System
Dorothy Overholzer and Frank Tanforan

Duett ---------- Faelton System
Evelyn and Lee Tanforan

"Song of the Waves" ---------- Krogman
Allen Thomson

(Above to be played in any key given by audience)

"Muriel", "Fireflies" ---------- Rudolph Firml
Frances Murphy

Waltz, any key ---------- Faelton System
Luella Serres

Song, any key ---------- Faelton System
Mary King

Study, any key ---------- Faelton System
Franklin Serres

"In the Country" ---------- Parlow
Charles Bundschu

"Trailing Arbutis" ---------- Prutting
Betty Bundschu

"Peaceful Summer Night," duett ---------- Sartorio
Betty and Charles Bundschu

Swiss Air ---------- Carl Faelton
Jessie Nicol

"The Little Old Doll" ---------- Frances Terry
Rose Marie Rehaag

"Woodland Nymphs" ---------- Kalbert
Margaret Dobbel

Duett, any key ---------- Faelton System
Ilene Merz and William Potter

"Cadets' March" ---------- Faelton Clef Reader
Billy Clewe

"Daisies and Buttercups," duett ---------- Sartorio
Thelma Rubke and Temple Clewe

"Humoresque" ---------- Faelton Clef Reader
Thelma Rubke

"Forest Song" ---------- Faelton Clef Reader
Helen Pauli

"Daisies," duett ---------- Melnik
Helen Pauli and Billy Clewe

Jig ---------- Faelton System
Temple Clewe

"Tam o' Shanter ---------- G. W. Warren
"Ghosts" ---------- L. Schytte
"To Spring," Op. 43, No. 6 ---------- Grieg
Grace Barr

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NEWS

The First Congregational church of Sonoma held its annual business meeting January 23, at 8 p. m., in the parlors of the church. Reports from the different departments of the church showed the financial condition to be on sound basis.

Officers were elected for the coming year as follows:

Board of Trustees—C. C. Champlin, F. W. Dobbel, C. C. Bean, W. R. McAllister and Henry Waters.

Clerk—Miss Florence Murphy.

Deacon—W. R. Dow.

Sunday School Superintendent—F. L. Edrington.

Treasurer—Carrie Burlingame.

A special meeting is called by order of the Building Committee for February 3rd, at 11 a. m., asking that all members be present at the morning worship, and at the close of the service to hear and consider, and take action, on a plan to be presented for proposed changes and an additional building to the present house of worship.

ISAAC COOKMAN, Pastor.

EIGHTY-SEVENTH BIRTHDAY HONORED

Friday, January 18th, was Grandma Miller's eighty-seventh birthday. On the preceding Wednesday the Flying Needles met at the home of Miss Janet Cooper and had planned a surprise fruit shower for Mrs. Miller, whom they have adopted as grandma of the Flying Needles. It was a most enjoyable affair and fruits of all kinds, candy and many other pretty gifts were showered on the guest of honor, who declares it wasn't a shower, but an avalanche.

Then on Friday half a dozen neighbors surprised Mrs. Miller at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Erazmus bringing a wonderful birthday cake and other good eats and a lovely time was had by all, especially by Mrs. Miller, who says she is glad she is in California and feels 87 years young and that she hopes to live amongst the good people of Sonoma for many years to come.

Mrs. Zwickl of Fetters Springs was in town Wednesday and predicts another good season this summer. Mr. and Mrs. Zwickl have the attractive Zwickl Gardens at Fetters.

Agents for Conkey's and LeGears poultry and stock medicines, Hess and All products for the poultryman. The Corner Drug Store, Sonoma.—adv.

SONOMA RADIO RELAYS WAMPUS FROLIC TO S. F.

Sonoma had a frolic all its own last Saturday night and it was a radio version of the real Wampus frolic in San Francisco, too, and lasted until early morning. The Radio Electric Shop, Sonoma, of which A. J. Martinson is the presiding genius, tuned in with his wonderful new Erla set and got the big doings including Paul Ash and his Granada dance orchestra from the broadcasting station K, P. O. The local radio wizard became so enthusiastic that he wanted everyone to hear what the Erla set could do, so he hooked up on the telephone and by courtesy of the California Telephone and Light Company, let telephone patrons have the full benefit of the talk by the stars, songs by celebrities and all the rest of the big party.

Santa Rosans were surprised to get in on the program and were puzzled as to how it was being given them and not until afterwards did they know it was a Sonoma stunt put over by Mr. Martinson through the Erla set which is a real wonder.

Not content with entertaining Sonoma telephone listeners-in, and those in Santa Rosa, the frolicsome Martinson called up the powers-that-be at the Wampas ball and they heard their own music relayed from the Valley of the Moon. Some stunt!

A night or two ago Senator Slater was serenaded in this fashion with telephonic connection from the Sonoma Radio Electric Shop and Miss Eva Dresel, piano teacher, was given an opportunity to hear a piano number from the Fairmont Hotel.

The Index-Tribune contemplates installing an Erla and loud speaker in order to give the public late news happenings and also musical programs.

VALENTINE DANCE

The Eastern Star ladies are busy perfecting the arrangements for the Valentine Dance to be given at Union Hall by Valley of the Moon Chapter on February 16th. It will be one of the nicest dances of the year and already a large attendance is assured.

A large number of interested sightseers visited the old Vallejo home museum Sunday and were well repaid for their visit to this historic spot.

Hass fresh candy, favors, magazines and periodicals. Lambert's Ice Cream and Candy Parlor, Sonoma.—adv.

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of air in the Sonoma incubators is conceded to produce stronger and healthier chicks than the old type of incubator, for poisonous gases and impurities are never present in the Kitchen machine during the incubation of the chicks.

Backers of the enterprise see a big future in the industry for Sonoma Valley, for already the eyes of the poultry world are being directed here through the inventions of Messrs. Kitchen. The brothers came West from Frederick, Kansas, during the 1915 exposition and had already worked out the incubator details back there. One of the first men in Sonoma Valley to have an incubator made by the brothers for him was Mr. Ford of Dale.

The Kitchen Brothers have hitherto refused many offers for their patent rights and are now enthusiastic that the manufacture of their incubators bids fair to become one of Sonoma Valley's most potential assets.

PIANO BROUGHT $1.50 AT AUCTION SALE

The auction held by S. Arrieola last Saturday at which he disposed of his household goods prior to leaving town was well attended by those anxious to take advantage of the sale, but the most surprised man of all was William Steinkamp, who found himself the owner of a square piano for $1.50. The piano was knocked down to him at that price. Steinkamp started the piano off at that figure and there being no contenders, the instrument went to him. He later sold it for $15.

Arrieola, father of a large family, had conducted a tamale parlor in Sonoma for some time, and lately ran afoul of the dry law, with a result that he was given the alternative of paying a heavy fine or leaving town. He had no money so was forced to sacrifice his household goods and leave. The family will make their future home in San Francisco.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Josephine Pancrazi of Glen Ellen to Tom Laird, well known sporting writer of the San Francisco Daily News was been announced. Miss Pancrazi is the youngest of the beautiful Pancrazi sisters and met the young newspaper correspondent when he came here to write up the Seals at Boyes Springs last year

Miss Meta Stofen will convert her pretty Broadway residence into two apartments retaining one for her own use.

If it's Pigi'n Whistle, it is the best. Batto's Sonoma Store.—adv. tf

The latest Victor and Vocalian Records at Lambert's Corner Drug Store, Sonoma.—adv.

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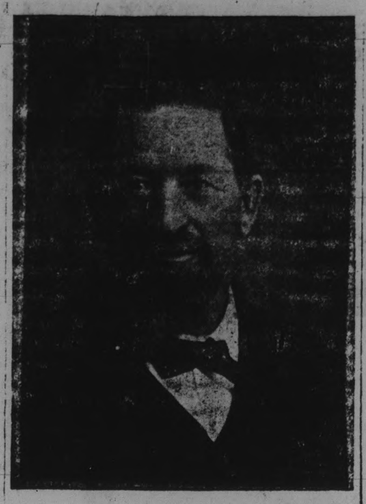

J. H. ALBERTSON
Eighty Years Young

City Marshal J. H. Albertson celebrated his eightieth birthday Monday and received the congratulations of many friends. The city official looks as young as ever and is on the job every day, collecting taxes and acting as speed cop. Congratulations, Jim.

MR. AND MRS. ROSENTHAL RETAIN THEIR RESORT

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenthal did not consummate the deal with San Francisco parties whereby their resort at Verano was to be traded for city property. After a month in San Francisco they were not so enthusiastic over the trade and were glad when circumstances permitted them to retain their beautiful property here. The rest and vacation were beneficial to Mrs. Rosenthal, who has not been in very good health and she is happy to be back in Sonoma Valley, the only place for real living, both she and her husband declare.

MORE GIFTS TO JACK LONDON LIBRARY

A number of beautiful gifts of furniture have been received by the Jack London Library this week. Mrs. Geo. O'Donnell gave two chairs and a fine screen; Miss Olive O'Donnell, desk and chair; E. A. Ranker made andirons and tongs for the fire place; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weise some comfortable easy chairs; Mrs. P. McMullin gave a wicker rocker and there were other donations. Drapes are to be provided by Mrs. O'Donnell.

VINEBURG NEWS

A very pleasant whist party was held last Saturday evening at the cozy residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gillet on the Hyde Tract. The home was prettily decorated in blue and white. After an interesting game in which Mrs. Frank Allen won a handsome prize a delicious repast was served and the rest of the evening was spent in games, music, etc., and all returned home well pleased. Those present were Mesdames H. Roeder, C. Gillet, F. Allen, J. Roeder, E. Bacher and Misses Edna Roeder, Ruth Allen, Susan Roeder and Alice Allen; Messrs C. Gillet, G. Burns, Jim Small, Walter Barham, Kenneth Roeder, J. Roeder, F. Allen and Ed Roeder.

We understand that our popular and much esteemed station agent will soon take the station at Schellville. His legion of friends in this vicinity wish Grover Rubke the best of good luck in his future position. He has been here 14 years and Vineburg's loss is Schellville's gain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batto and son and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groskopf left Saturday on a trip to the Summit Hotel. They will be absent for more than a week.

Wouldn't everybody be glad if it should rain for about seventy-two hours, or maybe longer, and then come good warm weather? The rain of yesterday was great.

Fredrick Batto, Jr., was the week end guest of friends in the metropolis and during his stay attended the big Wampas ball.

Dring the year 1923 there arrived at Batto's spur 130 carloads of grain mill feed, coal and merchandise and about 30 cars of local freight.

Miss Margaret McDevitt of Sonoma is the guest of her cousin, Miss Emily Batto this week.

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DR. GOBAR AND FAMILY VISIT HERE

Dr. and Mrs. I. C. Gobar accompanied by their two sons and little daughter, motored up to Sonoma Sunday from San Francisco, where the doctor has a big practice with offices in the Flood building. The former Sonoma physician has recently bought a beautiful home in Frederick street in the metropolis, one of the fine old places with large gardens.

Mrs. E. Guyot of Vallejo visited her old friends at Buena Vista Sunday.

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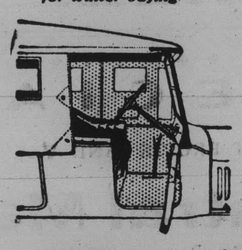

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STEWART FRUIT CO. ON CO-OPERATION

V. B. Porterfield, local field agent of the Stewart Fruit Company, calls attention to a recent editorial in the California Fruit News, as follows:

"We have called attention at times to the large inclusiveness of the word co-operation,' which seems to us frequently to be so restrictively understood. A recent communication from the Stewart Fruit Company of California well illustrates this point in a reference to one sort of co-operation. We quote from Mr. Stewart's communication:

"'The trouble is that too many are giving advice to producers along lines that are not sound. Co-operation is without doubt, a splendid thing, but there are many kinds of co-operation. For instance, we co-operate with the growers by furnishing them expert advice and in assembling, packing and marketing their products without the necessity of the producer investing in packing houses and marketing machinery and other liabilities. In the various districts a hundred or more growers, large or small, may group together and use our facilities. You can not market without knowing the demand and what the market will absorb, and the time and the place for selling is most important. What the producer needs in the way of co-operation is more real expert advice in the merchandising of his product and less theoretical 'town hall' oratory on the subject.'"

Mrs. H. Pellissier has been here from San Francisco supervising a number of improvements at her home here. She and her daughter, Marguerite, reside together in the metropolis. Miss Marguerite is in charge of the telephone exchange at Willards.

BUTTERMILK FOR CHICKENS

We are in receipt of regular shipments from San Francisco of buttermilk for chickens. Nothing better to the flock. 4c per gallon at Sonoma Mission Creamery.—adv.

NOTICE

I wish to thank my kind friends for reporting me to the authorities as a bootlegger. It may be of some satisfaction to them to know that the only evidence found consisted of two barrels of salt pork.

JOHN FARBER.

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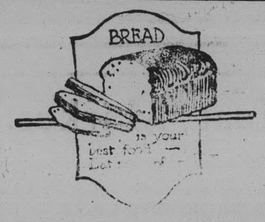

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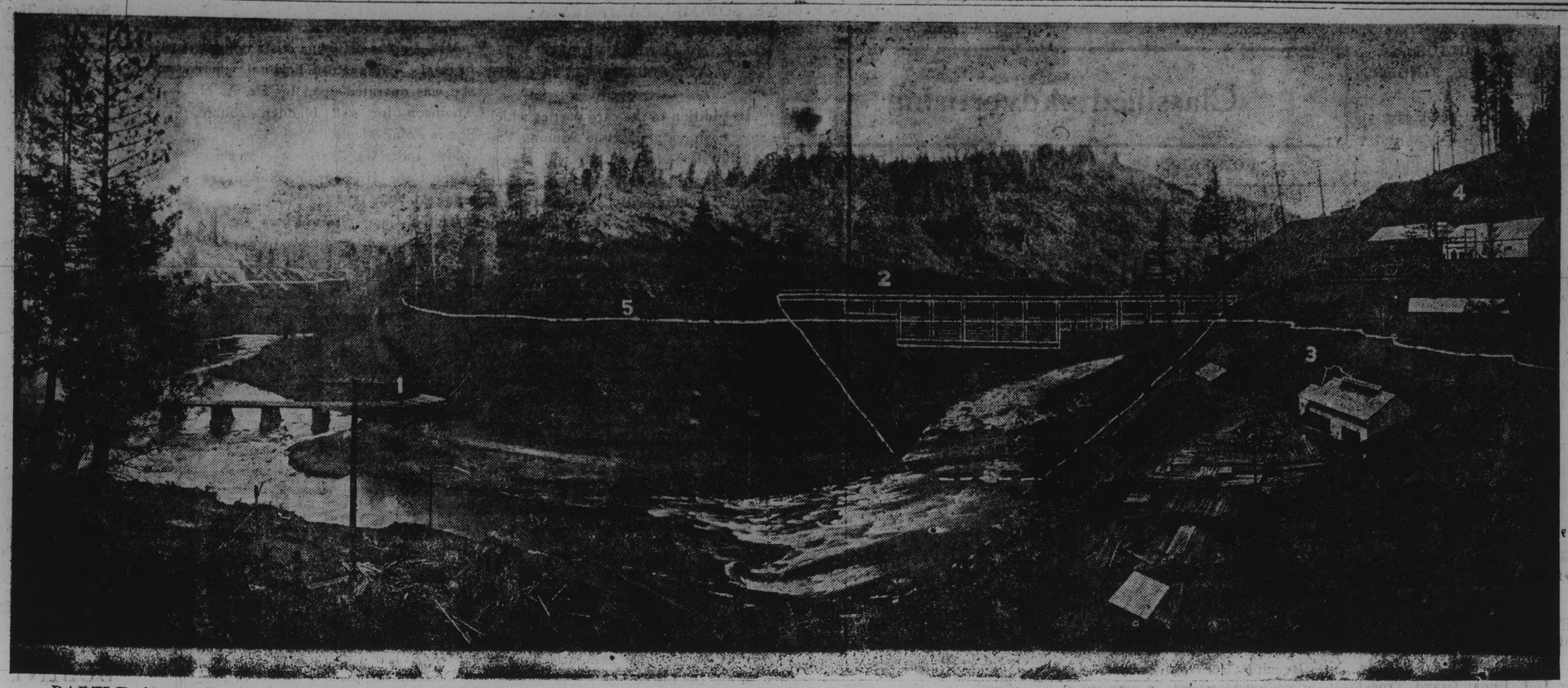


BARTLE, Shasta County, California:—Comprehensive view of power development work being carried on in this vicinity.

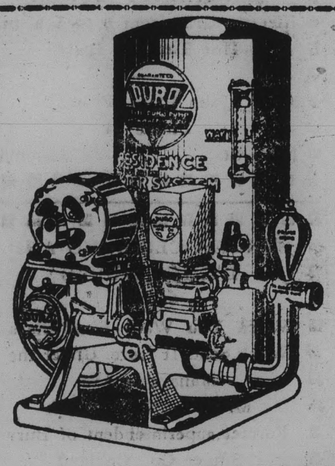
1. Beginning of a temporary diversion dam which will divert the water of the Pit River from its main course through a temporary flume along the mountain side to permit anchoring of footings for the dam in the bed of river.

2. Site of 110 foot dam, top of which will be used as a part of the new county road from Cayton Valley to Burney Falls. This dam will back up the water for a distance of ten miles.

3. Inlet of concrete lined tunnel, nineteen feet in diameter and approximately 21,000 feet long, through which the impounded water will flow to the Pit No. 3 Power House located five miles down the river. At the end of the tunnel the water will drop down the mountain side 155 feet into the power house, where generator equipment for 100,000 horse power in electrical energy will be installed.

4. Road bed of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's railroad, running from Bartle to the Pit No. 3 Power House, a distance of 33 miles, built to carry in food and supplies to crew of 1,000 men now working on this big project.

5. Water level when dam is completed.



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PRAISES SYSTEM IN VANCOUVER

Harry Fine, recently back from a visit to the north, went to Vancouver during his trip and declares that city is booming, even outdistancing Seattle in business . The government's supervised liquor sales brings lots of business to the Canadian side and while liquor is not cheap, it is good and carries with it the government quarantee. Permits to purchase are sold for $2 each, which are honored at the regular liquor stores. Clubs have supervised bars, access to which are by card to members. Beer sells in Vancouver for $2 per dozen for pints and good sherry for $1.75 per quart. Whisky is $4.50 and up per quart.

Fine was surprised at the many good restaurants and their reasonable prices. The volume of business there makes possible a fine meal for as low as 30 cents. The restaurants do not sell drinks but it is permissable to bring your own. The California visitor says revenue to the Canadian government under the Vancouver plan is immense and pays for many public institutions and projects.

A CORRECTION

In justice to R. E. Perkins, formerly of the Valley National Bank, we desire to correct a statement that his eye sight is failing. The report was erroneous as Mr. Perkins since recent treatment in San Francisco has no ocular trouble whatever and is better than in years.

Pig'n Whistle Candies at Batto's Sonoma store.—adv. tf.

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Mrs. Baines also visited Mrs. Erhardt Steiger who is at her mother's home in San Francisco. She is much improved from the accident in which she broke her foot in two places, and sends thanks to her friends for the many cards and kind letters she has received during her confinement. Mrs. Steiger expects to return to her home in Schellville soon.

Last Saturday while Ed Dowdall and Bill Preston were hauling gravel from the Sonoma Grove gravel beds the four horse team, while pulling a heavily loaded wagon throuugh Sonoma Creek, got into deep water. After a fierce struggle, the frightened animals succeeded in reaching the bank, the lead horses breaking the harness, while the drivers loosened the harness sufficiently for the other two horses to extricate themselves. This was a narrow escape for both horses and drivers.

L. Mouyen of Verano, real estate dealer, transacted business in Santa Rosa Tuesday.

William Fowler, Jr., formerly of Sonoma, was placed under arrest Monday at Glen Ellen, charged with robbery following the allegations of Michael Slattery that he had been struck over the head and knocked unconscious by an assailant. A watch and $6 were found on Fowler, belongiing to Slattery. The victim was found lying along the side of the road near Glen Ellen Sunday morning and when Slattery regained consciousness told officers he had been struck on the head and robbed by Fowler. Fowler denies the accusation and claims he found the watch and money beside the road. He is now lodged in the county jail at Santa Rosa. It is said both men had been drinking bootleg booze, which has caused a wave of crime throughout the country.

HAVE WONDERFUL STRAWBERRY PATCH

Oak Cottage, the attractive resort of R. J. Ricks & Sons, boasts one of the finest strawberry patches in Sonoma Valley. The berries thrive as luxuriantly as wild vegetation and are heavy bearers. The berries when ripe are magnificent fruit, both for size, color and flavor.

The Ricks ranch is the former Hewgitt place at Agua Caliente and has been converted into a very attractive family resort with tent cottages under the oaks.

NOTICE

The second installment of city taxes are due and payable after January 1, 1924. Delinquent after the first Monday in February, 1924.

J. H. ALBERTSON,
Tax Collector.

BALL PLAYER SAYS "NIX ON TEXAS"

No Texas steer for Pete Compton. The smiling ball player who calls Boyes Springs home, does not want to be steered from the coast to Houston. Here is what the Chronicle says about Pete's disinclination:

"Pete Compton, San Francisco outfielder, declared today that he will quit baseball rather than report to the Houston Club of the Texas League, to which he was recently sold. When interviewed at Boyes Springs, where Compton is spending the winter Pete pointed out that his record entitles him to a place in the Coast League. The Seals kept Compton all last season as a pinch-hitter, but this year found the roster overcrowded with outfielders."

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ACCIDENT COSTS JULIUS FOCHETTI, JR., FINGERS

While at work on a band saw at the machine shop of his father on Spain street last Saturday, Julius Fochetti, Jr., met with an accident which caused the loss of four fingers of his left hand.

He was hurried to the office of Dr. A. M. Thomson by Pete Boccoli, Jr., who witnessed the accident, and then taken to Santa Rosa Hospital. The fingers proved to be so badly mangled that amputation was necessary. Three fingers were taken off at the second joint and the fore finger at the first joint.

The patient returned to his home here Tuesday and is doing as well as can be expected after so unfortunate an ordeal.

GRAND OFFICERS OF DRUIDS HERE

Last Saturday night the Druids received an official visit from the following Grand Officers: Grand Chapter Commander J. J. Enos; Grand Trustee Allen Greenewald and Grand Marshal Herbert Ordway. The local Lodge was commended and a fine evening terminating in a banquet was enjoyed.

CLUB TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY FRIDAY

The wide awake and fast growing Sonoma Valley Improvement Club will celebrate its first anniversary on next Friday evening at its attractive club house in Fetters Springs. A large number of tickets have been sold and a big crowd is expected to enjoy the entertainment, dancing and whist which will be arranged for by the committees.

Messrs. White and Jones visited the Sonoma Vista Club last Saturday evening and boosted for the big night at their club.

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Sonoma County, California, January 17, 1924.

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma County, California, at his office until 12 o'clock Noon, February 12, 1924, and will be publicly opened and read at 1:30 for the construction of a reinforced concrete bridge on the Sonoma to State Highway Road, Sec. B., Sta. 100, in the First Supervisorial District in Sonoma County.

Specifications for this work are on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the office of the County Engineer, which bidders are hereby referred to.

A copy of the plans and specifications can be procured from the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors upon depositing $10.00 with said Clerk, said deposit to be returned upon return of said copy.

Estimated Quantities

Class A Concrete.....81 cu. yds.
Total estimated cost.....$2500.00

W. W. FELT, JR.,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

No. 13893
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
State of California, In and For the County of Sonoma.

JAMES McINTOSH, Plaintiff, vs. MARGARET McINTOSH, Defendant.

Action was taken in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma

W. F. COWAN,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Margaret McIntosh, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if serve within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in this complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court this 28th day of December, 1923.

W. W. FELT, JR.,
(SEAL) County Clerk.
By T Zimmerman, Deputy Clerk.

Classified Advertising

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four quackless ducks, fine for garden, Muscovy, three females and mated drake, $8.00. Also duck eggs for hatching. Mrs. Goerl, inquire at Zwickl's Garden, Fetters Springs. 23 ?

FOR SALE—20 room building and furniture; to be emoved or wrecked. Apply this office. - 23 tfc

FOR SALE—French range in good condition, suitable for boarding house. Apply this office. 23 tfc

FOR SALE—Lot in desirable section of Woodleaf Park, price $250. Address P. O. Box 165, Sonoma. 23 2tp

FOR SALE—Few fresh family cows. Adams, Vineburg. 23 2tp

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22-25p

FOR SALE—Pen of thoroughbred R. I. Red fowls—10 pullets and 1 cockerel, ten months old; also gum wood for the cutting. Parker, Phone 27 F 5. 22-23p

FOR SALE—360 egg capacity Petaluma incubator in running condition, and also 3 months old Jersey heifer calf. C. J. Smith, east of Sonoma, Box 159, R. F. D. 23 2tp

FOR SALE—Four Hundred Dollars takes 13 head of dairy stock, only 3 old ones, also a horse for sale cheap Mrs. Gollan, RFD-1 Box 63 Glen Ellen. 22-23p

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs, thoroughbred, new strain Plymouth Rock and R. I. Reds. $1.00 per setting Apply to B. J. Juchter, Bx. 289, Waller tract. 22-23p

FOR SALE—One large size Kresky brooder stove. John Ammann, El Verano. 21 3tp

FOR SALE—27 White Leghorn hens cheap. Huhnholz, 343 Broadway, Sonoma, Cal., 22-23p

FOR SALE—Breeding flock of fine Bronze turkeys, 9 2-year old hens and a 25 lb. gobbler. No reasonable offer refused. B. Hamilton, Glen Ellen. 22-23

FOR SALE—Pigs, all sizes, lot of 200 to choose from, good stock. A. Trautvetter, 5th St. West, Sonoma, Box 16-A, R F D 2 tfc

FOR SALE—Two plate glass windows and frames taken out of butcher shop, size 4½x6 feet, $35.00 each. F. Clewe. 19 tfc

FOR SALE—Certified AA grade baby chicks from hens not less than two years old, mated to registered high pedigreed cockerels. D. Colli, Sonoma, Cal. 16 tfc

FOR SALE—450 ft. 4 inch water pipe fine for irrigation, all in good condition. H. Heuer Cooperage Shop, Sonoma. 16 tfc

FOR SALE—Buy your baby chicks from a laying strain which has proven to be among the best in Sonoma county. We use only selected hens mated to double pedigree cockerels. Gerica & Sarich, Sonoma. 16tf

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FOR SALE—Or trade. Wagons and buggies. L. E. States, Napa St., Sonoma. 13 tfc

FOR SALE—A Delco electric light plant. B. Schrempff, Vineburg. 11tf

FOR SALE—I am offering my home for sale, consists of lot 50x300, four room house, outdoor sleeping bungalow, wood shed, chicken house, brooder house, feed house. Sidewalks and gutters laid, sewer and water connections made. All for $2500. Wm. Rambo, Sonoma. 3 tfc

FOR SALE—47 acres fronting new highway, near Warfield and Glen Ellen, $45 per acre. Ed Thierkoff, Glen Ellen. 9 tfc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching $1.00 per 15; also D. I. Red and White Leghorn young roosters for sale; White Pekin duck eggs for hatching, $1.00 per doz. Apply to G. W. Candelin, El Verano. 22-33p

FOR SALE—The famous Magoon strawberry plants now ready, 50c per hundred and dig them yourself. R. B. Thomas, Sonoma R. F. O., near Batto's.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four furnished housekeeping apartments and a furnished cottage at Boyes Springs. $3 per week or $10.00 per month. See Field & Payne, Boyes Springs. 5 tf

FOR RENT—Store on Napa St., Sonoma, in business center. Apply at this office.

FOR RENT—Up to date apartment of three rooms, bath and screened sleeping porch, fire place, separate entrance. Apply this office.

WANTED

WANTED—Work by young man who can drive truck or tractor and be generally useful. Apply this office

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MISCELLANEOUS

ORCHARD—Spraying done, make your reservations now. John L. Fox, Sonoma. Phone 2-F-14 20tf

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LOST

LOST OR STRAYED—Black horse in vicinity of Glen Ellen. Finder please notify H. Schieck, Eldridge.

Mrs. Carrie Burlingame, active civic worker, has been sowing some beautiful blue lupin and other California wild flower seed in Sonoma's historic Plaza this week.

Frank Canevari, who underwent an operation in San Francisco, is now able to sit up daily and his good wife goes down from here every week end and oftener to visit at the hospital.

Mrs. Louise Turner has invited a number of friends to a costume party at the Sonoma Vista club house on February 6th. A most enjoyable party is anticipated by the friends of the vivacious hostess.

Mrs. Flowers of Fetters who lost her furniture at the time of the fire when she removed the contents of her cottages to Boyes Springs for safety, has refurnished these summer homes very comfortably.

DANCING INAUGURATED AT SONOMA VISTA CLUB

In addition to the card parties which have been features at the Sonoma Vista club house, the Club will give a social dance the first Saturday in each month. There will be a short game of cards, after which the floor will be cleared and the lovers of Terpsichore given full sway. Refreshments will be served also.

The entertainment provided by the Club for the small admission price is immense. A big crowd attended last Saturday night. P. McDonnell was one of the prize winners of the evening at whist.

The first dance will be Saturday evening, February 2nd.

CALLED TO BEDSIDE OF FATHER

Mr. and Mrs. V. Giorno and Mr. and Mrs. F. Giorno were called to the bedside of their father, F. Giorno in Ukiah this week. The condition of the pioneer is very critical and little hope is held out for his recovery p

MISS FORNI'S ESSAY JUDGED BEST AT P. T. A. EVENING

Thrift week was observed at both Grammar and High School of Sonoma the past week. On Thursday night at the Parent-Teacher's Association the High School students exhibited prize poster work and also presented competitive essays on Thrift which were judged by attorney Grinstead, C. C. Champlin and Mrs. W. L. Murphy.

Prizes for the best posters were awarded, First prize, Mary Tomlinson second prize, Beck Hansen; third, Anna Noyes. Awards were on the basis of art work and originality.

It was the unanimous opinion of the judges that the essay of Miss Leola Forni on "The Waste of War" was the best of five submitted. Second prize went to Herbert Tracy. The prize winning paper will be published next week.

The talks by A. R. Grinstead and Prof. Golton were also on the theme of thrift and proved interesting and instructive.

"Little Gray Home in the West" and "Mother Machree" were the happy choice of two beautiful song numbers rendered by Mrs. Ralph Hotz

The school orchestra played two selections and were enthusiastically received.

Geo. W. Crowe, president of the P. T. A. presided at the meeting.

MRS. BLUXOME FOLLOWS LOVED ONES IN DEATH

Mrs. R. Bluxome, widow of I. D. Bluxome, who passed away last year succumbed to a capital operation in Oakalnd last week and was buried on Monday, January 21st. The Bluxomes formerly resided in this valley where Mr. Bluxome was superintendent of the Spreckels ranch. They later removed to Oakland and it was there beautiful Miss Doris Bluxome, their only daughter, died. The death of Mrs. Bluxome leaves an only son, Don as survivor of this prominent family.

Mrs. Bluxome was a beautiful woman of middle age and her untimely passing will be mourned by friends throughout California. She was a native of San Francisco and leaves sisters and brothers there.

The son, Don Bluxome, former Sonoma high school student and graduate, is in the automobile business in Oakland.

Sam Sebastiani has returned from New York and Washington where he spent several weeks on a very successful business trip.

Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Waltz arrived from the south yesterday.

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Mrs. Veigne of Buena Vista is home from the Santa Rosa hospital where she was operated upon by Dr. A. M. Thomson for gall bladder trouble. She is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Burmester and son enjoyed the Hippodrome Sunday evening at Napa.

United Cigar Store cigars and tobaccos at Lambert's two stores.—adv.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of March, 1923, W. Baron, also known as Wolf Baron, and Flora Baron, his wife, executed and delivered to Frank Blumenthal, a promissory note in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000.00); and

WHEREAS, for the purpose of securing the payment of said promissory note said W. Baron and Flora Baron, his wife, did execute and deliver to Title Insurance and Guaranty Company, a corporation, as trustee for said Frank Blumenthal, a certain deed of trust dated the said 28th day of March, 1923, and recorded on the 29th day of March, 1923, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Sonoma, State of California, in Book 43 of Official Records, at Page 70, which said deed of trust described that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California, and hereinafter particularly described; and

WHEREAS, the said W. Baron and Flora Baron, his wife, have, and each of them has made default in the payment of the principal and interest due upon their said promissory note hereinabove mentioned, and in the performance of the obligations specified in said deed of trust by them to be performed; and

WHEREAS, the said Frank Blumenthal, the owner, holder and beneficiary of and under the said promissory note and deed of trust, because of the aforesaid default and pursuant to the terms of the said promissory note and the said deed of trust, elected to sell or cause to be sold the said real property to satisfy the aforesaid obligation; and

WHEREAS, the beneficiary under the said promissory note and deed of trust has notified the said Title Insurance and Guaranty Company, a corporation, trustee, as aforesaid, of his election to sell, or cause to be sold, the said real property for the purpose aforesaid and demanding and directing that the said Title Insurance and Guaranty Company, a corporation, as trustee, aforesaid, sell the said real property under the said power and authority conferred upon said Title Insurance and Guaranty Company, a corporation, as trustee, aforesaid, and in accordance with the terms of the said deed of trust to satisfy the said indebtedness and to accomplish the objects and purposes of the trusts created by the said deed of trust; and

WHEREAS, notice of such breach and of the said beneficiary's election to cause the said real property to be sold, dated the 14th day of September, 1923, was duly given by the said Frank Blumenthal as beneficiary under the aforesaid promissory note and deed of trust by recording such notice on the 17th day of September, 1923, in the office of the said county recorder of the said County of Sonoma, in Book 55 of Official Records, at Page 94:

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the said notice and demand and in accordance with the terms of and under the authority conferred by the said deed of trust, the said Title Insurance and Guaranty Company, a corporation, as trustee, aforesaid, does hereby give notice that on Monday, the 18th day of February, 1924, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A. M., of the said day in front of the County Court House at the Fourth Street entrance thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California it will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, either as a whole or in its discretion in such subdivisions as in its judgment it may deem reasonable, for cash in Gold Coin of the United States of America, the said real property consisting of the following:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California, particularly described, as follows:

Bounded on the East by the county road leading from the City of Sonoma to the City of Santa Rosa; on the South by the tract of land formerly owned by W. R. Doty, afterwards by C. T. Wilkinson, and later by Martha Alice Peck and Daniel Peck, her husband; on the West by the middle of the channel of Sonoma Creek and on the North by the road leading from the said Santa Rosa road across Sonoma Creek, containing 30 acres, more or less, and being a portion of the Agua Caliente Rancho.

Subject to, and excepting therefrom the right of way over a portion thereof granted by Wolf Baron to the State of California, by deed dated May 29, 1922, and recorded on June 7, 1922, in Liber 11 of Official Records, Page 303.

Excepting from the above 30 acre tract, Lots 9 and 10, in Block No. 2, of Baron's Villa Tract, as the same are shown and designated upon that certain map thereof, recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Sonoma, on the 2nd day of September, 1913, in Book 30 of Maps, at Page 17 thereof.

Together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and the rents, issues and profits thereof.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash in Gold Coin of the United States payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer.

Dated January 15th, 1924.

TITLE INSURANCE AND GUARANTY COMPANY,
By O. A. Rouleau,
President.
By E. G. Schwarzmann,
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Stoney, Rouleau, Stoney & Palmer,
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